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Preparations Made for Langdon Agricultural Fair

A meeting of the Langdon and Bow River Agriculture Society was held on the above date, and called to order by the Vice-president Mr. L. H. Bittle, in the absence of Mr. George Jackson, president, through sickness. A report given by Mr. H. L. Griffin, who was a representative delegate of this society attending the Fairs Convention held in Edmonton February 9th, 10th, and 11th, proved to be most beneficial and instructive in many ways information

regarding a wheat milling laboratory
prevention of the saw fly menace
dates of fairs being held in Alberta
for 1926, and a valuable method of

feeding hogs, can be had from the Secretary-Treasurer of this Society. A hearty vote of gratitude was tendered Mr. Griffs for his very valuable and efficient report.

Moved by Mr. Henderson, seconded by Mr. Higley that, Mr. E. B. Weishimer be appointed department manager for swine.

Moved by Mr. Griffin, seconded by Mr. Craig that Mr. G. L. Buntain be manager of the sheep and poultry department.

Moved by Mr. Craig, seconded by Mr. Copeland that the H. H. Dein be manager of the grain and vegetable department.

Moved by Mr. Griffin, seconded by Mr. Copeland that the Langdon Women's Institute select department managers, and adjust the prize list covering dairy, kitchen products, fancy work and children's departments.

The committee appointed for the revision of the prize list were as follows: Mr. G. Jackson, Mr. A. A. Bot-

Moved by Mr. Craig, seconded by Mr. Copeland that Mr. Moe be secretary and treasurer of the sports.

Moved by Mr. Copeland, seconded by Mr. Griffin that the boys' and girls' call competition for 1926 be bucket feed calves. There was another motion to change this but was defeated, above motion carried.

Moved by Mr. Ilgley, seconded by Mr. Wenden that any 1926 short horn calves entered in the boys and girls 1926 competition will be eligible to compete in the Short Horn Breeders Association of Canada.

Moved by Mr. Wenstrom, seconded by Mr. Higley, that calves entered in the boys' and girls calf competitions must be born before the first of June, 1926.

Moved by Mr. Griffin, seconded by Mr. Whitney, that no concessions be granted to anyone.

Moved by Mr. Griffin, seconded by Mr. that a caretaker be appointed to have charge of the exhibits building the day previous and fair day.

Moved by Mr. Alford, seconded by

Moved by Mr. Arcock, seconded by Mr. Colwell, that the entire fee of 10 per cent. of the first prize money, and to non-members 25 per cent.

Moved by Mr. Grilla, seconded by Mr. Craig, that E. Moe be appointed chairman to select his own committee for a membership drive.

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SEVEN MILES NEW TRACKAGE AT FORT WILLIAM

FORT WILLIAM, Ont.—D. C. Coleman, vice-president of Western Lines of the Canadian Pacific Railway, announces that among the improvements to be undertaken by the company in the West this season, will be the re-arrangement and enlargement of the Fort William freight yards, which will involve the construction of seven miles of additional track, and will greatly facilitate prompt movement of the heavy traffic during the autumn months. With this addition, the Canadian Pacific will have a mileage of 103 in yard tracks at the head of Lake Superior and will be enabled to surmount its previous record of unloading as many as 1,704 cars there in 24 hours.

SPORT NOTES

Carl Van Warden, a Swift Current wrestler, is making progress, and leaves this week for the United States, where he has made arrangements for eight contests, one of which will be at Philadelphia in April.

Mr. Dick Rudolph, formerly of Toronto, the Braves pitching coach, is getting along in years and he may break into the National Boy's championship of the horseback pitching tournament a few years hence. This division of the sport is open to boys between 50 and 60 with a maximum of two picks of whiskers.

There isn't enough money in the United States to purchase Babbler Over, E. R. Bradley, owner of the colt is reported to have told a horseman who made an offer of \$100,000 for this well-bought Kentucky Derby eligible. Further, the Colonel intimates that the son of North Star III, was not for sale now or at any time. From this it can safely be deduced that Bradley thinks a lot of this youngster's chances in the coming season.

A FEW COMEBACKS

When Earl Sande, one of the most colorful jockeys since the days of Tod Sloan, who thrown from his mount while protecting a young apprentice jockey and was injured so severely that his life was despaired of, the wide smile of sport shook their heads and croaked:

"I'll never come back! Even if we don't recover, his nose and confidence would be shattered and if he accepted a mount again he would be just a mediocre jockey."

The world knows Sande's answer to that time-honored "broutade." All he did was bring a rank outsider "Flying Ebony" in a winner in America's greatest race classic, the Kentucky Derby, last year.

MacDonald Smith, the softer, after a retirement lasting over ten years, has come back and won some of the greatest events of the golf world recently, the Western Open last year, and the Texas Open recently.

In baseball, Stanley Coveleskie, who Cleveland figured through as a major league pitcher, came back with Washington and had one of his greatest years in 1925.

THE SCOTCHMAN AND THE COUNT

The official starter at St. Andrews golf course is a venerable Scotman. His job is to take the names of players and assign a starting time for the next day. To him, kings and coddies are about the same.

Not long ago a foreign nobleman tapped the starter on the shoulder and said, "Just a moment, my good man. My name is Count Schenck and I have selected nine o'clock tomorrow morning as my starting time."

The Scotman took no notice and went on assigning names and starting times.

The Count demanded: "Did you hear what I said? I'm Count Schenck!"

"Aye," said the Scot, "I hear ye. Ye are starting tomorrow at twelve o'clock and I'll answer to the name of Ferguson."

AUTOS APHORISMS

(Boston Transcript) A hook in time prevents a fine. Spare a pump and spill the tire. There's no use crying over spilt gasoline.

A green motorist makes a fat repair shop. If wishes were autos, loggers might ride. It's a lucky car that has no over-tire.

Good roads slogan: Money makes the mile go. A slip of the tongue often follows a slip of the tire. A foot and his auto are soon in need of repair.

One-half the world doesn't know how the other half drives.

BIG ACREAGE IN CORN AND CLOVER

Southern Alberta is to see a very large acreage planted to fodder corn and sweet clover this season. Farmers are already bringing in large quantities of seed for these crops. There will be several thousand acres in sweet clover, and corn acreage, which last season was estimated at 73,000 acres, will probably surpass the 100,000 acre mark this year, for the province as a whole, with the bulk of it grown in southern Alberta.

TY COBB STILL KEEPS OL' MAN TIME GUESSING



You've got to hand the lightning-bolts to the great Ty Cobb. At an age when most men don't know whether they want a cane, wheel chair, or an automobile—there's the great Ty still out there cavorting about the baseball diamonds with the alacrity of a youngster. And, reports have it, he's not even showing any signs of having lost any of the batting, running and fielding speed that made him a star of the first magnitude on major league diamonds.

LANGDON

Charles Hebeke Lodge, No. 76, was at home to its friends Monday, March 29th, in honor of Mrs. J. D. Dye, Noble Grand of the Lodge. Court night was played. Mrs. E. Moe Mrs. H. L. Orr, and Mrs. F. M. Lewis winning the first, second and consolation prizes. A delightful lunch was served. Mrs. Dye was presented with two beautiful pictures from the Hebeke, and a vase filled with flowers for her services as director of the play, "Take My Advice."

Dr. M. C. Salmon, who has been very ill in the Holy Cross Hospital for a week is reported to be improving today (Monday). His many friends here will be very pleased to hear this.

Flu, mumps, measles, grippe, and just plain colds are having their inning just now, and hardly a family but has some illness.

Langdon and Bow River Agricultural Society held a meeting Wednesday afternoon, and another Saturday night. Reports of these two meetings will appear next week.

Guy McLean and a friend spent Sunday with the former's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Davidson of Calgary, visited at the home of Mrs. S. Scott on Sunday.

The annual Husbands and Wives party of the W. I. was held in the I.O.O.F. Hall, March 22nd. The men furnished the bountiful supper, while the ladies provided the program, giving a one-act play entitled "How the Ladies Earned Their Dollar." \$400 was then played, the lucky ones being Miss M. Jerrard, Mr. L. Hittle and the consolation going to Mrs. R. Dye and H. Wilson.

The W. L. Play "Turning the Trick" was presented to a crowded house at Delnecote, March 26th, under the auspices of the Social Club. The players wish to express their appreciation of the splendid way their play was received, and the courtesies extended to them by the Social Club.

Miss Ida LaCombe is a Langdon visitor this week.

ARDENODE

On Tuesday, March 16th, at the home of Mrs. J. Taylor (farmer), a surprise party was given in honor of the newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. D. Brook, of Ardenode. About twenty ladies were present, and many useful and handsome gifts were received by the lucky pair. Charming selections were rendered by the Misses Agnes and Alice Barry on piano and violin. Mr. Geo. Dunn, on behalf of the guests, thanked the victors for the good time all had had, and Mrs. J. Taylor, who had arranged the happy gathering, came in for very great applause, with musical honors.

Social & Personal

Mrs. Percy Waddy arrived home from Calgary last Wednesday, and is back on the farm north of Ardenode.

The friends of Miss Strong, of the teaching staff will be glad to learn that she is now convalescent at the home of Mrs. Mackenzie and expects to be able to leave shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Smith, of Chedoke, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter on March 29th, at the home of Mrs. Mackenzie.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Tucker entertained a number of their friends on Friday night at their home. The evening was spent in dancing and at midnight supper was served, after which the old time waltzes and square dances were danced till—well most of them reached home before noon the next day.

A very enjoyable crossword puzzle party was held at the home of H. Riden, under the auspices of the Sunrise Junior U.F.A. on Friday night. The prizes were won by Mrs. Fraser and W. Warrack. After the supper at midnight, games and dancing were enjoyed by the young people until an early hour.

Mr. T. Schulte attended the annual meeting of the Association of Professional Engineers of Alberta at Lethbridge on Saturday, the 27th. He reports a very successful meeting, and that the hostility of Lethbridge is unsurpassed. Mr. B. L. Thorne, Mining Engineer, of Calgary, was elected president for the ensuing year.

The Balmain Enterprise says: "Miss Janet Nicol leaves in a few days for Vancouver, where she has been given a position on the teaching staff at a larger salary than she was offered here. Miss Nicol enters upon her new duties about April 1st."

TUDOR

The U.F.A. met at the home of Mrs. D. Horne on the evening of Friday, March 25th. The usual business having been disposed of, a paper was read by Mr. C. E. Schafer on "The U.F.A. and its relationship to the Wheat Pool and Politics."

At a previous meeting we had the pleasure of listening to Mr. D. Horne on "Tuition, Provincial and Municipal." These papers are proving interesting themes, and create helpful discussions.

On Sunday last Rev. C. Rogers preached his farewell sermon to the people of Tudor, and we learn with regret that he is leaving the district in the early summer.

His many friends hope that in his next appointment he will find a more general appreciation of his qualities, and we also predict more generous support.

While in Calgary we noticed the arrival of a number of men from the old land. They have the hesitating look of a stranger in a strange land. In our contact with them lets give them the glad hand and a kindly word so the Canada may mean more to them than merely a land of labour.

Re the 43 fares to Canada: We read a good one in an old country paper. An Aberdonian, while in a railway station, read the notice above the booking office: "Cheap fares to Canada, 2."

After deliberating some time he bought a ticket, and after reading it he was heard to remark: "A wunt there wis a catch in it somewhere. It's a trap."

CANADA'S RAILWAY MILEAGE HAS RAPIDLY INCREASED

OTTAWA, Ont.—The latest official statistics show that Canada has 40,561 miles of railway in operation. In 1909 the total was 17,657. During the past five years operating mileage has been increased by 1,385. This has been done in order to provide needed facilities of new districts opened up for settlement in the West. About 500 miles are under construction.



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Sweet Biscuits —	
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ABOUT OLD TIMERS

1910—Bank of Commerce, under the management of J. S. Barker, decided to build, and purchased two lots on Second Street, opposite Union Bank, at a reported cost of \$2500.

1910—J. T. MacDonald, Grand Master, officially opened the new Strathmore Masonic Lodge.

1910—Constable Blake, N.W.M., was transferred to Fort Herschel, the most northerly post in the Dominion.

1910—E. H. Riley, M.L.A., resigned as member for Glendoch constituency.

1910—Dr. A. W. Girvin was threatening a trip down East, and several boys had been around that he might bring back the future Mrs. G., and he did.

1910—Two bank juniors were seized with a burning desire to clean up back yards as a pastime and for exercise, in addition to receiving better smiles from the bank widows.

1910—McDonald's new store building was completed.

1910—John A. McDonald, C.P.R. agent received promotion from Glendoch to Strathmore.

1910—Roman Catholic Community decided to build a church on Third Street.

1910—Management in connection with Democratic Farm noted that an appropriation of \$20,000 had been made for new buildings.

1910—Thomas Brown was killed on railway near Strathmore.

1910—The *Strathmore Standard* published a letter by George Wills, stating the growing of strawberries, peas, cabbage, rutabaga, and cucumbers extensively, and the starting in Strathmore of a canning factory.

1910—Baptists starting month of May in St. Michaels and All Angels Church. Marion D. Killey, Charles Stanley Johnson, Lathrop, Margaret Brown.

1910—R. B. Brown accidentally shot and killed himself while hunting coyotes.

1910—The marriage took place in Knox Church, by the Rev. Mr. Clarke, of Eugene City and Miss Ethel Vickroy.

1910—A great ovation was given at the station to Thomas Wright and his bride, Miss Mary Morrison of Okotoks.

SCHOOL COLUMN

Two more schools have joined the School Fair Association, Elwood and Akenhead.

The following donations and prices for the Fair have been received this week, and are gratefully acknowledged: Western School Supply Ltd., Regina, a football; Mr. Thorburn, \$5.00; Dr. Moore, \$5.00; Arnold Motors, \$5.00; Mr. Nerrings, \$1.00; Robt. Hamby, fountain pen; Mr. Harebush, box of chocolates; Lake Vin, \$1.00; Women's Institute, \$3.00; Mr. Bray, ham.

School will be closed for Easter holidays from Good Friday, April 2nd, till Monday, April 12th.

The time-table for Departmental Examinations have come to hand. High School Examinations commence June 17th, and Grade VIII examinations on June 24th.

CARSELAND

Mr. and Mrs. Haskyne and Stan are back from their three months trip to the old country.

About fifty men were present at the U.G.W. meeting last Saturday afternoon.

Don't forget the U.F.A. meeting last Saturday. This may be the last meeting before seceding, and a number of men should be definitely settled. A full attendance is very much desired.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Kruse celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary last Friday evening. Sixteen invited guests extended greetings to the happy couple. A gift presentation was made.

The U.F.W.A. met at the home of Mrs. C. A. Phillips last Thursday. Mrs. Wilbur Phillips and Mrs. E. A. Bishop entertained.

In spite of crop conditions in Carseland district promising to be wet this season, it is believed that in other respects it will be dry in the case of three individuals that a \$100 check has been posted by three well-known townsmen that they will be "dry" for the period of one year.

The rummage sale and supper given by the P. B. Club last Saturday was quite a success, retaining net proceeds of over \$80, which amount will be added to the steadily growing fund. The committee wish to thank everyone who helped in any way toward the success of the event.

Ben Plummer, of the Wheat Pool, will address a meeting in Carseland on Saturday evening, April 3rd. He will also address a meeting at Strathmore on Sunday afternoon, in the Memorial Hall.

NAMAKA

Mr. Mark Anglin returned from Carseland, where he has been attending the Agricultural school during the winter.

The Ladies Aid wish to thank those who donated to the sale of work put up recently by the Aid. The Aid will meet at Mr. Geo. Peterson's on April 8th. Officers will be appointed for the coming year. The members would like to see everybody out.

Don't forget the dance on Wednesday, April 7th, in the I.O.O.F. Hall. Music by Moonbeam orchestra.

Mr. Ennes was a visitor to Medicine Hat over the week end.

Mr. Marshall is spending a week in Calgary.

Mr. Harry Salomon, of Calgary, called on friends in Namaka vicinity on Sunday.

Miss Margaret Watson, of Calgary, visited her parents over the week end.

Looks like Spring is here, the wild geese are flying over the district by thousands.

1,500 BRITISH YOUNG MEN WILL ARRIVE

EDMONTON, Alta.—Between 1,000 and 1,500 young men from the United Kingdom will be arriving in the Edmonton district within the next few months to undertake farming work.

Officials of the Land Settlement Board. These immigrants are all British and in the main are young, single men, who come for actual farming experience, with the idea of becoming farmers themselves later on.

What's What In Edmonton

Questions on the Public Works estimates on Friday revealed that a Packard car had been purchased for the use of the Lieut. Governor at a cost of \$4500, and when asked why the Government had purchased an American car, Hon. Alex. Ross said the selection was made by the Governor himself. It would seem as if the Made-in-Canada argument still has some headway to make in high quarters.

In aligning both the Government and the official opposition against them on the matter of a plebiscite for the closing of the beer parlors, it is considered that the Prohibitionists have not advanced their cause. The vote was 4-2. The public galleries were packed with prohibitionists, who on several occasions vigorously applauded Mrs. McClung's statements, till they were checked by the Sergeant at Arms.

The Government, through the Dept. of Education, proposes to go into the school book business. It is thought that if the Government undertakes the supplying the books in bulk to schools, the board's cost can be greatly reduced to the people.

R. C. Marshall, Calgary Liberal member, has been the chief critic of the estimates this session, and on one of his times has moved for reduction of votes, with, however, no success.

The collapse of the Budget debate Monday evening was a disappointment to a number of members, who had speeches all prepared. However, everybody else was pleased. Two U.F.W.A. members had spoken, and it was the turn of the Liberals, but when no one rose to continue the debate, the question was put by the Speaker, and carried without dissent. One reason alleged for the termination was that no one wanted to take the floor at the end of an evening session, as there were very few people in the public galleries, and the press gives little publicity to evening speakers, except on important subjects. Members of Parliament do not like to "waste" their sweetness on the desert air.

Hon. Geo. Hodley was very severe on the present immigration policy of the Dominion Government, which left the control of immigration in the hands of the steamship companies, whose sole concern, he said, seemed to be that the immigrant could pay the fare and walk aboard the ship. He recommended Government inspection in the prospective immigrant's home country. By the time these people had given up their jobs it was very hard to send them back. Malignant diseases had been introduced to Alberta by some of these people, and a very large proportion of the mental hospital patients were from abroad.

While redistribution has not figured prominently on the floor of the House, it has been discussed very often in the caucuses of the two parties, and in the frequent meetings of the redistribution committee. This week we saw a full dress debate on it. The number of seats is not to be altered, but many changes will be made in boundary lines.

The question of who shall pay for the upkeep of indigents has been very prominent in debates. Some members want the Government to take over the expense from the municipalities, but the Government believes that the indigents can be more cheaply and efficiently looked after by local authorities.

Night sessions, especially when they continue till midnight, are trying on the nerves of members and the speaker on Friday had to verbally chastise them for the late hour. That was being indulged in from both sides of the House. The fun is usually started by R. C. Marshall, who has been conducting debates pretty much on his own hook.

—John Mackenzie

HEARD ON THE STREET

Montreal Board of Trade is endeavoring to promote the daylight saving scheme. A Strathmore farmer was telling the Standard that we do not need it here, as he always gives his hired man and takes for himself all the time before 5 a.m. and after 10 p.m. during the summer months for recreation.

A Calgary lady was entertaining the small son of a friend from Strathmore.

"Are you sure you can cut your own meat, Tommy?" she inquired.

"Oh, yes, thank you," answered the child. "I often have it as tough as this at my home."

Frank Miller (dictating his will before the trial: What money I have, chink, dough, berries, spoons, and iron, mode or less, such as it is, or isn't? Lawyer: I can put it in more legal language.

Miller: No doubt you can do it good and plenty. How much is it going to cost.

Official: "Do you want a marriage license?"

"Marriage?" No! I'm through hunting. I want a marriage license."

That an amusing incident occurred at a recent Blindness dance, which was attended by "Tony" Grogan. A young man had retired at the hotel early in the evening, and did not know that a dance was to be held at the same building. He fell into a very sound sleep and dreamed that the place was to be a point of safety, but both he and Tony were so excited that they did not rest well.

L. B. O. Lomeli, who has been a resident of Strathmore for the past fifteen years, has removed to Calgary and joined the staff of Phillips & Co. Ltd., where he will specialize in the sale of farm land.

"Have you a nice room?" asked the young woman at the Carseland Chat.

Jock the night clerk: "Yes, ma'am, but how about a bath?"

Young Woman: "That's none of your business."

Mary Anne gave notice she was going to be married. Her mistress, perturbed, said: "Oh, cousin, I don't want to put any obstacles in the way of your getting married, but I wish it were possible for you to postpone it until I can get another maid."

"Well, mum," Mary Anne replied. "I hardly think I know 'im well enough to ask 'im to put it off."

That a Calgary lawyer did some legal work for some old couple's last year, and in addition to his regular fee, he was presented with 7,500 dollar shares by the directors in further recognition of his official services. The market value of the stock is now worth about six or seven dollars a share, and the learned gentleman may now be said to be sitting pretty.

Telephone Subscriber—"Say, are you any crazy down there?"

Operator—"I'm sorry but we are not allowed to give information."

Fred Dunn, watching the contractors on his building, and at the same time indulging in a few statistics regarding twenty pay life contracts.

Groux and Lambert discussing the merits and demerits of the Fluke case.

M. S. Hirdle and Anaseroo, Fred Nye arguing about land titles for a theatre site.

She (after a little argument) I'm going home to mother.

He—"Well that's better than having her come here."

Jerry Cowan says a gentleman has been defined as a man who is clean, both inside and outside; who neither looks up to the rich, nor down on the poor; who can lose without equalling and win without bragging; who is considerate to women, children, and old people; who is too brave to lie, too generous to cheat, and who takes his share of the world and lets other people have theirs.

Harry Thorburn says he is going to buy his potatoes by the carload. No more special half bushel deliveries for him. In fact Harry says he knows several more people who have changed their potato merchant.



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LOCAL NOTINGS

Mrs. Layzell accompanying her husband to the sale at Banff. While serving them over the Indian coachman in carrying on conversation, asked the big auctioneer if the lady was his daughter, to which Mr. Layzell replied: "Oh no she is my wife." "Humble" said the Indian, "second wife, eh?" Who says the Indian is not a diplomat.

The post office at Lytla is located on Shaw's new store, and Mr. Shaw is acting postmaster.

Attention is called to the recklessness of some car drivers, who apparently ignore the rights and safety of others on the road. A number of very young children were driving home after school, when a car passed them with great speed, dashing of loose curbs, etc., throwing the horse in such a state of fright that it kicked and broke the shafts from the rig, and tore the harness to pieces. Luckily, however, the children escaped injuries, through no kind assistance of the perpetrator of the trouble, who soon was far away from the scene of the accident. Constable Tate might arrange for the accommodation of a few of these speed kings at Hotel Franklin, Calgary, for a few days' much needed rest treatment.

Layzell, the auctioneer, is getting quite classy. At the sale at Banff last week he insisted on having an Indian coachman meet him at the stable. It is only a few years ago since he was poor and modest like the rest of the people, and quite satisfied to drive himself.

An amusing incident occurred at a recent auction sale, when one of the bidders was feeling very badly about parting with some of the horses to which she had become much attached, many of which she said they had owned since she was a child, and at the same time Layzell was proving to the people they were all cats.

Auctioneer A. Layzell was stopping high on Sunday. He had had a most successful week with his sales—his clients were all happy. Bob Thompson, his manager, was in good humor, and his racing mare "Homing" had presented him with a fine filly colt by "Will Somers", which Layzell is quite certain will be an easy winner of the Alberta Derby.

Fred Nye, the town assessor, says a Stockman was killed by jumping from a bus at Okotoks to pick up a nickel, and the jury returned a verdict of death from natural causes.

Orville Wright will be the new caretaker, and will shortly occupy the quarters at the Town Hall.

The hockey fans felt badly on Tuesday night to learn that the Victoria Cougars had suffered defeat in the first game for the Stanley Cup by 3 to 0. However they are still hoping for the best, as the first game was played under eastern rules.

Mayor Bell was delayed in getting to the school in his absence. Assessor Nye carried on most successfully. Mr. Nye likes the work and may be induced to enter the field either against Mayor Bell or Mayor Bell at the next municipal contest. He rather prefers Strathmore as he has had a splendid opportunity of getting acquainted with the ratepayers, which would help him in his campaign very materially.

Mr. T. M. Weare will shortly remove his office to the Town Hall, where he will be accessible to either town or private business. Mr. Weare is anxious to make it easy for the ratepayers to pay their taxes.

Mike Brown, of the Carleton Place, was in town last week, soliciting trade for the season. He claims to have the finest spring water in the Great West, and if the guests ever tire of that, he has a much larger stock at the lake. Tierney says it is the best water in Western Canada, so he has been taken by other tourists, but he cannot vouch for it himself. He threatens to try it next summer when the Strathmore Shells go down and give the Carleton Club a horrible wallowing.

Four Hundred big silver dollars has been awarded "Louie" of the Carleton Chateau, he having had a ticket on Caralis, the winning horse in the "Coffroth Handicap", which was run last Sunday, and was ridden by the Canadian Jockey Willie Munden. Upon hearing of his good luck "Louie" immediately left for Calgary to pick up a few shares of Royalite, Beaver or Paramount. Dr. Gilvin's company, he hadn't decided which when he packed his grip.

"Terrible" Tierney, who has been suffering from an attack of appendicitis is now convalescent, (self cured) and expects to have the important running fall time next week with a complete staff to handle the Spring orders.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. George Riches, of Okotoks, in the death of their daughter, Tamara Sarah, at Calgary, on March 28th.

Mrs. R. B. Gunn, chairman of the Alberta Egg and Poultry Pool had tendered her resignation, finding the duties, combined with that of president of the United Farm Women, more than she can look after.

AUCTION SALE

Instructed by Mr. BERT HILL, who is giving up farming, I will sell at the farm, 5 Miles South of REDLANDS; 8 Miles East of ROCKYFOOT; 7 1/2 Miles Southwest of ROSSBUD; 10 Miles North of STANFORD, on

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25	32.0	20.0	
26	25.5	15.0	
27	32.0	19.0	03 precip.
28	37.0	12.0	
29	34.6	19.0	20 precip.
30	31.8	8.2	

United Church, Strathmore

Sunday, April 4th, 1926
Easter Sunday there will be appropriate music and Easter themes. This will mark the opening of a new quarter in the Church School, and parents and children are requested to keep the day in mind so that every one may be in attendance that day.
Nanaka at 10:45 a.m.
Church at 11:00 a.m.
Church School at 11 a.m.
Church Worship at 7:30 p.m. when there will be Easter anthems by the choir, and Easter hymns.
ARTHUR H. ROWE,
Minister

UNITED CHURCH NOTES

The Annual Meeting of the Nanaka congregation, for receiving of Reports and election of officers will be held on Monday, April 5th, at 8 o'clock. There will be a social evening in connection.
The annual meeting of the Cheate congregation will be held after the Good Friday service, which is set for 8 o'clock.
At the annual meeting of the Strathmore United Ladies' Aid, reports of an encouraging year were presented, and the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. Brown; 1st Vice-president, Mrs. White; 2nd Vice-president, Mrs. Gray; Secretary, Mrs. Layzell; with Mrs. Fisher acting till her return. Treasurer, Miss Cope. The meeting was held at Mrs. Zerkle's with Mrs. Kennedy and Mrs. Zerkle as business. There was a good attendance, and the meeting was very successful.
At the Passion Week service on Thursday evening, April 1st, in the Strathmore Church, at 8 o'clock, there will be addresses by Niall Tweddell

and Esther Stockton, special music by the choir and Mr. and Mrs. Wooster, and a short address by the minister on "The People Who Crucified Jesus". Everyone is invited.

8: MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS
CHURCH

Good Friday, April 2, 1926
Matins and ante-communion, 11 a.m.
Meditation service, 2:30 p.m.
Easter Sunday, April 4, 1926
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11:30 a.m.—Matins, Holy Communion and Dedication of New Font.
There will be no Sunday School, but children are expected to attend the 11 o'clock service.
7:30 p.m.—Evangelism and sermon.
There will be one Anthem at the morning service and two at the evening service.
Flowers for decoration purposes will be thankfully received up to 5 p.m. Saturday.

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Carleton, Sunday School 2 p.m.
Praying Service 3 p.m.
Balconed—Praying Service 11 a.m.
Sunday School 12 noon.
Blind Creek—Praying Service 7:30 p.m.
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1st Sunday of month, Mass at Carleton 2 a.m., Strathmore 11 a.m.
2nd Sunday of month, Mass at Carleton 9 a.m., Strathmore at 11 a.m.
Rev. J. E. DUGGAN,
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These pretty blossoms of happiness were photographed in that far-off wonderful Isle of Bermuda. Growing gorgeous Easter Lilies—note for their rare beauty and hardiness!—one of the island's chief activities at this time of year. Myriads of the blossoms are now on sale in this country.

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ROCKYFORD UNITED CHURCH NOTES

Somewhere between Crowfoot and Rockyford, Mr. Rogers had a spare tire and rim jacked off his car. At present the tire has not come home.

The final meeting of our board must be held Wednesday, April 7th, for the finishing up of the business of the year, and for the closing of our books at March 31st. We would like to see a large representation, as special business will arise.

The Ladies Aid will hold their Box Social on Good Friday evening, when pictures on "Don't Let" will be shown.

Saturday next a sale of "Angel" cakes will be held at the Poole Hardware. You will find something new for Easter here. There will be a special session of the Sunday School Easter Sunday morning, when the Easter Story will be told by song and action. The programme is in the hands of Mrs. Walrod.

ROCKYFORD

The sale for Doyd C. Brown, Rockyford, advertised for Saturday, April 3, has been indefinitely postponed.

Several farmers commenced work on the land on Monday, but owing to the snow coming later in the week, work had to be stopped.

J. W. Gibson is all smiles. Every train going over big-five cars found nice homes this week. More happy people in sight.

Formaldehyde at the Rockyford Drug Co.

This should be looked upon as an advantage as the season is very early and not much benefit has been derived in the past from a too early start. In the meantime the frost being on the ground, every drop of moisture will soak in, and the soil should be in perfect shape for seeding operations next month.

Many farmers are wisely seeing the grain originally kept for seed, having "tested" it and found the germination to be poor. They are buying grain better suited for seed purposes.

The mild weather has brought the trees into bud. It is to be hoped that a late frost will not arrive to do any serious damage.

As will be seen by the adverts, the Rockyford Drug Store is having a "two for one" sale this week, and in connection are giving away a very valuable radio, for which there is sure to be very keen competition.

Mrs. Tom Rogers is at present on a visit to her son, Philip, who is farming at Chancelor.

Mr. Frank Merkel has been hauling seed wheat from Rockyford.

Mr. O. Lyons and family moved Friday to Rosebud. Mr. Harold Bell intends to farm the place himself this year.

Mr. David Smith is building an addition to his barn, reports from the lumber yard that a good deal of improvement are to be made this year in the district.

Formaldehyde at the Rockyford Drug Co.

Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald, who for some years have been in charge of the MacIntyre Farm, are leaving on Monday. Mr. MacDonald having accepted the position of manager of Mr. Davidson's splendid farm at Blackie. The numerous friends of the MacDonalds will miss them very much, and best wishes of all who knew them will go with them to their new home.

Mrs. W. Walker is at present suffering with flu. It is to be hoped that the fine weather will put an end to the epidemic.

Mr. Havard has arrived from Staveland to take the place in the bank vacated by Mr. Mercer, who has gone to Staveland, having been promoted to fill a higher position.

Formaldehyde at the Rockyford Drug Co.

Mr. Walkinshaw has taken the place in the bank lately vacated by Mr. Law Miller.

Mr. Austin, foreman for Mr. Hymis, is suffering from a rather serious attack of flu.

STANDARD

Miss Olga Jannusson and Mr. Edvard Jannusson returned to stand on Tuesday, after having spent the past few months at school in Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Hulen and Miss Hulen, from Missouri, and sister of Mr. Paul Hulen, are visiting at his home here.

Among Tuesday's passengers to Calgary were Mrs. F. Messenger, Mr. M. Kjar, Mr. C. Neilson.

Mrs. F. Messenger underwent an operation for enlarged tonsils last week.

At the close of the regular meeting of the Knights of Pythias Lodge on Monday evening, March 22nd, the members were entertained by their fellow Commander Knowlton and Mrs. Knowlton in the S. and S. Hall. A dainty supper was served by Mrs. Knowlton, assisted by Miss M. A. Peden, after which Mrs. Knowlton gave two readings entitled: "The Royal Bunker Devere", and "Give the World Your Best". Speeches followed and a pleasing incident took place when Vice Chancellor J. P. Madsen presented Mrs. Knowlton and Miss Peden with boxes of chocolates on behalf of the K. P's.

We regret to say that Mr. Elmer Wirt received the sad news of the death of his mother last Wednesday evening, and we take this opportunity of extending to him our sincere sympathy in his bereavement. Mr. Wirt had only just returned from Hoberley, Missouri, where, with Mrs. Wirt, he had spent three months visiting with his parents, and when he left they were both in good health and his news was a great shock to him.

One of our readers has requested that we include in our notes, if not less of the serious, a little more of the humorous. Now this may sound easy to our city readers. No doubt life to them is packed full of humor. Just let them live through a winter in the country with a straw pile and snow storms for inspiration, and then try to be funny. For myself I must confess to feeling like the shaman's description of the laughing hyena: "e eats once a week, sleeps once a month, and perhaps 'as a little affair of the 'cart once in five years, and what the b—'ell 'e 'as to laugh about I don't know." However, we will endeavour to do our best in spite of difficulties, as the Doc says, "Be British".

Talking of the doctor reminds us that he is a very busy man these days, what with flu and the bad shape of the roads making his task of visiting his patients a far from easy one. However, if he was up to his nostrils in "Be British" (and we haven't the slightest doubt that he will), no patient, however heavy the roads are, need worry that both the doctor and himself will put through. Just "Be British" has got many a man through far worse troubles than an attack of flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Kettenbach's name was wrongly spent in last issue.

Mr. Hovey has returned from the States, where he has been spending the winter to his farm near Rockyford.

The Catholic Women's League are holding a dance on Easter Monday. A good time is assured.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 3rd

8.30 p.m., Rockyford.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 7th

8.00 p.m., Standard

Messrs Garner Bros. have arrived from the States to operate the carnival which they have bought in this district.

Mr. Murphy, of the Rosebud Valley School is to attend the 16th annual convention of the Alberta Educational Association, to be held in Calgary on April 6, 7 and 8.

This should be a most interesting convention. Many well-known people are to speak on important subjects connected with education. We shall look forward to getting an account of the proceedings from Mr. Murphy on April 6, 7 and 8.

WORKS HARD, GAINS WEIGHT

Mack Swain, famous screen comedian, weighed 306 pounds when he

began work as one of his principal players in "Sea Horses", Paramount's spectacular melodrama, which comes to be Memorial Hall, Strathmore on Saturday night.

After a month of the hardest and hottest work of his long career, he steps on the scales.

He weighed exactly 216 pounds. However, he was the striking exception, for the other players, including Jack Holt, Florence Vidor, George Bancroft and William Powell lost from five to ten pounds each.

"Sea Horses" was pictured by Alan Dean from the exciting novel and serial magazine story of the same name by Francis Reid Young. It is an intensely gripping tale of a lone woman's adventures on the east coast of Africa.



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THE PRESS

SUICIDE'S TIP TO HIS WIFE

PHILADELPHIA—In a will executed before he committed suicide, Dr. David Foster, left his widow one dollar of his \$15,000 estate, suggesting that she purchase a rope to hang herself. He had "nagged him for 25 years," the will said.

SHEEP INDUSTRY THRIVING

Twenty-six thousand lambs were exported from Canadian livestock yards and abattoirs during 1925, as compared with only 20,000 in the previous year. In addition, over 1,500,000 pounds of mutton and lamb were exported, as against less than 2,000,000 pounds the year before.

VICTORY FOR COAL BARONS

(Toronto Telegram)

"Landing the freight rate from \$7 to \$9 on coal in Alberta to Ontario is simply one more victory for the U.S. coal barons who are selling the consumers in Ontario dirt and dust at from \$15 to \$20 per ton."

"On the Government, Sir Henry Thornton and the Railway Company, which is failing to do its duty, must rest the responsibility."

I. O. F. AND WORKMAN

SEEM LIKELY TO MERGE

It seems practically certain that within a few weeks a merger is to be effected in the fraternal insurance field whereby the Ancient Order of United Workmen will become a part of the Independent Order of Foresters. The amalgamation has the approval of the executive committee of the Workmen, it is understood, but will have to go before the Order as a whole at a special meeting, about the end of March, for final verification.

DUMPING CLAUSE TO CHECK AUSTRALIAN BUTTER

OTTAWA—A shipment of butter from Australia has been accepted

upon payment of a duty of four cents per pound. This duty represents one cent per pound under the Australian treaty, and a further duty of three cents on each pound under the dumping clause.

Imposition of the extra duty of three cents under the dumping clause is being made, pending an investigation to determine whether the home consumption price of butter in Australia is in excess of 5 per cent, over the price at which Australian butter is sold in commerce in Canada. The investigation now being conducted follows the reported payment of a bounty upon all butter exported to Canada.

AUTOMOBILES SOLD ON CREDIT

REACH TOTAL OF \$3,000,000,000

NEW YORK—Automobiles valued at more than \$3,000,000,000 were sold on the installment plan during 1925, it is shown by a survey made public by the American Bankers' Association Journal.

In each of three other years the Central Alberta average beat the average of every non-irrigation State but two.

In each one of eight out of the ten years the average yield in Central Alberta beat the yield for that year in every one of the above named States. The exceptions, 1918 and 1922, were admittedly "off" years.

The moral is that in every normal season Central Alberta grows a heavier crop of wheat per acre than any one of the named great wheat growing States.

WELL SUPPLIED WITH CHURCHES

(Kinardine Reporter)

Port Elgin is to have another church, the continuing Presbyterian church, to erect a new one. This town of about 1,500 people has already within town limits a year ago the following churches: Presbyterian, Methodist, Anglican, Baptist, Evangelical, German Lutheran, United Brethren, Mennonite, and a mile from the town the Latter Day Saints. With the new church projected, making ten in all, every need ought surely to be supplied.

The Press

HE IS WATCHING THEM

(Hedley Review)

A leading Paris hair dresser says the end of bobbed hair is now in sight and that it will only last another year at most. We don't believe her. Every little while we hear the same thing about short skirts but we haven't noticed them growing any longer yet.

SHE MEANT "GO"

(Exchange)

The teacher asked for a sentence which included the word "departant." A young lad answered: "The other night I walked into the parlor when sister was entertaining her fellow. She said 'depart', and from the look she gave me it was easy to see her 'department' 'go'!"

TIMES HAVE CHANGED

(Exchange)

In olden times, when a husband meant her one and only chance at a meal ticket, a wife had to endure any treatment that her husband accorded her, no matter how mean and cruel and brutal he was to her. But nowadays, when any abled lady can get out and earn her own bread and butter, and perhaps as much cash as her husband gives her, wives won't stand for being beaten and abused.

AMEND TRAFFIC ACT

(Toronto Telegram)

Hon. Mr. Nicksie introduced a bill to amend the Highway Traffic Act, by which, if a person lends his car to a man, or if the car is taken without his knowledge, and an accident happens to a passenger in the car, the owner of the car is not held liable for damages as at present. It also puts the onus of negligence in driving a car when damages are claimed by the passenger on the plaintiff instead of on the owner or driver of the car.

WISHES HIM WELL

(Red Deer Advocate)

The Advocate has some regret that the Saskatchewan Government and Legislature has seen fit to continue political party warfare against the Progressives and other moderate movements, instead of moving towards the greater control of legislation and administration by the Legislature and by the people which the modern co-operative movements in parliaments are giving. It nevertheless wishes Premier Gardiner and his Cabinet a useful stay in office.

THE CANADIAN WHEAT POOL

(Ottawa Herald)

Commenting on the government's proposal to grant \$1,000,000 for the encouragement of empire trade, says: "It is something of a paradox that while the government proposes to spend \$1,000,000 to assist the growers and producers of the dominions to market their commodities here, many of our importers apparently are gripped with fear at the marketing power already possessed by important sections of empire producers."

It concludes by saying: "We believe that a new form of marketing is a necessary experiment. If it succeeds it will undoubtedly tend to the stability of Western Canadian agriculture and will accelerate land settlement, increasing production, which will ultimately result to the consumer's advantage."

BROWNLEE VERY OPTIMISTIC

(Edmonton Bulletin)

There were a few brushes in the local legislature with the opposition Premier Brownlee one occasion was repeating his announcement that the government proposed to make complete investigation of the whole field of revenue and taxation in the hope to meet the House with a full report, and added that next year report and recommendations in connection with the same.

"Now presume a lot," said Bob Marshall of Calgary.

"Probably, but if I never have to make a presumption on less grounds than this one I shall be very fortunate," retorted the Premier.

"Methinks the lady doth protest too much. You must be worried," was the Calgary optimist's reply.

"No; optimism based on obvious facts is always well worth while, and when I enter the legislature each day and look around and see that someone else has left the opposition ranks it makes me still more optimistic," said Premier Brownlee.

SHOULD IMPORT A LOT

(St. Thomas Times)

Instead of the United States putting up the bars to keep out Canadian shingles, trucks, San should get in a good supply and distribute them among parents for use on the rising generation. What if the Canadian doesn't know about the speaking game would fill a large size volume. He better get busy before it is too late.

DUNNING AGREES WITH BEATTY

AS TO RAILWAY MERGER

(Financial Post)

REGINA—There will be no move to form one great railway monopoly in Canada, as far as I am concerned, until the people of the Dominion give a clear indication that this is their desire," declared Hon. Chas. A. Dunning, minister of railways, following his election by acclamation as federal member for Regina constituency.

"It is my job to look the Hudson's Bay Railway, and I am going to do it," he added.

POLITICAL ATMOSPHERE

IS IMPROVED

Dispatches from Ottawa indicate a more buoyant political atmosphere here. Parliament, reassembled. The reappearance of Premier King and the early entry of Hon. C. A. Dunning into the House are said to have produced something of a depressing effect upon the Opposition, who are credited with having rather resigned themselves to the fact that they are out of office and are likely to remain so. The Montreal Star has expressed the view that the Liberals likely will be in office three years before they are in opposition, and that they may even stay there longer unless the Conservatives change their present leader.

WEST MIDDLESEX TORIES

(Toronto Telegram)

Handicapped to the last degree by a hopelessness and apathy that augurs no good for the Conservative party in Western Ontario, Tom Elliott, former of Parkhill, goes into the bye-election fight staged by Mackenzie King.

For four hours in the old Town Hall delegates to a Tory convention bickered and talked and blocked any move that would mean opposition to Hon. J. C. Elliott, the Liberal Minister of Labor.

If the Conservative organization in West Middlesex was a joke previous to the gathering staged yesterday, the holding of that convention shows that nothing much can be done to save the party from coming disaster.

FIGURES TELL THE TALE

(Edmonton Bulletin)

Over the ten year period, 1914 to 1923, inclusive, the yield of wheat in Central Alberta per acre per year averaged 21.6 bushels measured bushels. The yield in all Alberta for the decade was 15.78 bushels.

The yield for prairie prov. was 15.87 bushels. The yield for Dominion was 16.17 bushels. The yield for U.S. was 14.2 bushels. Yield of spring wheat in U.S. 12.3 bushels. Yield of winter wheat in U.S. 15.2 bushels.

Following were the average yields during this ten year period in the States named:

	Bushels per acre
Minnesota	12.8
Iowa	18.4
Missouri	13.2
North Dakota	19.2
South Dakota	11.5
Nebraska	13.1
Kansas	13.5
Montana	14.3

CHEADLE

The oil boom in Calgary is attracting quite a few of the citizens of the district to Calgary quite often during the winter and evenings.

Miss Florence Craig is home from the hospital, but is not feeling any too good yet.

Mr. Geo. Jackson went to Calgary Friday to see doctor about his head and eyes, which have been bothering him a lot this winter. Geo. has been real sick, but we all hope he will soon be better.

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be better. . . . There is still a lot of sickness among the children in the district, and a lot of the grown-ups are suffering with heavy colds. . . .

Three cars of stock were shipped from here last Tuesday by John McLean, Delcott, Kent and J. W. Payne.

Mr. Geo. Jackson, while boarding the train for Calgary, on Friday last, had the pleasure of meeting a brother he had not seen for years, who was coming to this country to farm. He was accompanied by his wife and ten children, from Scotland.

A New Dairy Pail at a Popular Price

See the new SMP Dairy Pail next time you are in town. They are made of special quality, high finished tin, have large dairy pail ears, riveted with large rivets, soldered flush, 100% sanitary. Cut out this advertisement. Show it to your regular dealer. He has our authority to give you a special low price on a pair of these fine pails.

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February 1926 INCREASE over
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BRITISH BOYS WOULD

LIKE ALBERTA TRAINING
EDMONTON, Alta.—More British farm boys to study Canadian farming at the Alberta agricultural schools will be obtained this year if the Government decides to continue the training scheme that has been in operation for the past two years. Hon. George Hoadley, Minister of Agriculture,

has received an inquiry from the Empire Settlement Board in England as to whether or not the present arrangement, by which immigrant boys are brought over for practical training in farm methods, will be renewed for another season. A further supply of British boys can be secured, it is intimated, if the plan can be continued here.

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It is the duty of every citizen to encourage clean sport.

SHEEP RAISING

There is a splendid opportunity in Canada for the expansion of the sheep industry.

Australia has made a world-wide name for its wool production, and Canada has many superior advantages to carry on this work extensively and successfully.

Great Britain, with its limited area and expensive land, has about twelve times as many sheep as we have in Canada.

Canada, in 1925, imported over 13,000,000 pounds of wool, valued at over \$6,500,000; surely this is needless, and we might, with beneficial results, adopt the slogan, "Grow More Wool."

WONT COME TO ATTENTION

R. B. Bennett, of Calgary, is worrying because Mr. Woodworth, the Labor member did not stand when "God Save the King" was sung in the House of Commons, and Mr. Woodworth claims that there was considerable confusion in the House at the time, and furthermore that he doesn't propose to click his heels and come to attention just at the beck and call of anyone. So that's that, and the people of the country pay the piper, while the pair of them play to the grand stand.

In all probability one is just as loyal to Canada as the other, and would make just as much of a sacrifice, but neither one of them has been very serious; hurt up-to-date "p the matter of sacrifices.

TOWN PRIDE

The Council will shortly be busy fixing the mill rate upon the new assessment just completed by Assessor Nye.

It is hoped that they will add a small item to be spent upon beautifying the town. While no one is anxious to pay a high tax rate, yet the majority of the people are anxious to have their home town looking at its best. This does not mean to embark upon an expensive program, simply a small appropriation to be provided for general improvement.

It not only makes an excellent impression upon visitors, but goes a long way to make the people satisfied and contented.

Let us have a little park improvement. It will pay good dividends to every ratepayer.

A GOOD SUGGESTION

In discussing Civil Service Commission appointments in the House of Commons a few days ago, Dr. J. W. Edwards, Conservative member for Pontiac, Ontario, made an excellent suggestion.

He stated that he had always been opposed to the handing over of political patronage to the Civil Service Commission, and takes the stand that all appointments should be made upon

the recommendation of the member elected, no matter to which party he may belong.

He is the man who should assume all responsibility for each and every appointment in his riding. He should advise the Government and the people of his constituency would hold him responsible, and he would stand or fall by his action.

PARTY PATRONAGE STRONGHOLD

Hon. C. R. Mitchell has, for the second time, been appointed a Judge of the Court of Alberta. He is the second active politician who has been rewarded by the Dominion Government with a very short time.

Surely this juggling of political appointments in connection with the Courts of Justice is a bad policy.

We are not referring personally to either Mr. Mitchell or Mr. Boyle, both of whom are clever men.

We think it advisable that judges might well be selected from men who have made reputations in the legal world rather than their achievements as politicians.

This is not a party question, as both the old parties have made appointments under similar conditions and probably if the Progressives were in power, they might do the same.

It simply means that a clever lawyer, who has aspirations looking to the bench, is forced to get in the limelight of the political world, and if he has not that qualification, or is not capable of pulling a political nomination, well, to say the least, he will be a mighty old canary before he has the privilege of decontaminating himself in a judge's gown.

EDITORIAL NOTES

P. M. Christopher, Labor member from Rocky Mountain, is favorable to the Broveland Government, creating a new constituency at Drumheller.

If all the rural alliances turn out to be old fields, the Dr. whale Governor will break Leader McGillivray's heart with future surpluses.

About 100,000 people in Alberta attended the theatres each week, and last year the Provincial Government collected nearly \$200,000 in amusement taxes.

The census for Alberta will start on June 1. It will cost the Dominion Government about half a million dollars to cover the expense of the work in the prairie provinces.

That gentleman in Montreal who has solved the problem of living on a \$250 annual salary, and in the same twelve months put \$14,000 in the savings bank, is surely a wizard. Don't have; got anything on that fellow.

If the province secures the natural resources, there will likely be a new Minister of Mines added to the cabinet. However, Premier Brownlee will have no difficulty in making a selection from among the Calgary oil geologists.

Ontario papers are very giddy when referring to the Alberta oilfields. Those same fellows have milking a million wildcats in the Cobalt district without batting an eye. Toronto has been looking upon the top notch producer of phony stocks.

One of the arguments used by the prohibition campaign is the matter of personal liberty, and now along comes the Edmonton hotel men voting against the ladies' man's third party, while the gentlemen may be served with an extract of hops. Peculiar

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logic, eh?

Canada and the United States are squabbling, almost to point of deadlock, over water and power questions; which war if necessary, no doubt, be settled by a World Court. One hundred years ago they would have had to settle such matters by force of arms, but today neither of the contestants even think in terms of blood and war.

Critics of J. H. Thomas, secretary of National Union of Labor Men in England, alleged that he had an anti-labor sentiment, and proved it to their satisfaction by the fact that he had been caught wearing coat dress. Hon. Alex. Ross, with his Jan. garden, had better watch out or aid Parry of Calgary, will be getting out a recall for him.

The Calgary Herald makes an awful moon because the Provincial Government only claims a small surplus for 1926, with a possible profit from boxes of \$1,700,000. Premier Brownlee didn't claim any surplus in advance for 1925, but came through with nearly \$200,000. Maybe he is going to fool Leader McGillivray again in 1926.

**REVENUE INCREASED
EXPENDITURE DECREASED**

OTTAWA, Ont.—Ordinary revenue of the Dominion increased by nearly twenty-nine millions during the eleven months ended February 28 last, as compared with the previous eleven months period. The monthly statement issued by the Department of Finance shows total ordinary revenue for the eleven months of \$887,888,419 as compared with \$858,984,207 for the previous corresponding period. Ordinary expenditure is about the same as a year ago. On February 28 last it totalled \$276,623,417.

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Slats' Diary

Friday—well pa finally lent ma to
drive the ford that is due then she was
lent to drive the ford
but today when she
went down town and
put it up in the ladies
and got bailed out by
Constable Tate why she
decided that pa had left
out sun thing. When
she came home tonight
she said to pa, Show
me where the Noelle is
and how do you use it.
Pa didn't know what she
was driving at and
then she said that when
she got all tangled up
and killed the engine
why the cop said to her. Why don't
you use your Noelle, and she never
new they was such a contraption on
the car.

Saturday—they was a twinking about
Ellie Hix today at the dining room and
ma said to pa. Do you think she will
ever marry any one and pa said. Why
yes must any one I would think after
waiting this long.
Sunday—pa took up the collection at
church today and while he was pass-
ing the dish around the superintendent's
wife whispered to ma and said.
I seen his hair becoming. I guess she
ment the way heed had it cut. Ma
whispered back to her Yes it is becoming
shorter and shorter and said.
If I would of seen those things in church
I would of been bailed out when I got
home.

Monday—Mistlers along a birthday
party tonight and his cousin queen
Caroleen is a swell Jane I will tell
the world. After we danced to guitar
I sat her if I could have the last dance
with her, and she said. You all really
had it. But I guess she was nice taken
because they were a lot more after that.
Tuesday—Pa wanted to talk ma with
him up to Calgary today he said she
should spend her time at the Museum
while he tended to his errands. She said
Not on your life I want to go where
I can spend some thing besides my
time when I go.

Wednesday—Mr. Gilman sweltered his
wifes thimble yesterday and today Dr.
Moore operated on him but didn't
find it. Mr. Mr. Gilman will have to
go and by a new one. After going to
all the Xtra trouble.
Thursday—Got kept in on streamstun-
chal evidence tonight. Teacher got me
if I was the guilty I when missed the
black board and I said I wouldn't
answer her till I found out how much
she knew about it. So she said the new
stuff to keep me in forty 5 min-
utes any how. & she did.

TOWN OF STRATHMORE
NOTICE

All persons carrying on any of the
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AUTOMOBILE LIVERY,
FEED AND SALE STABLES,
HOTEL,
RESTAURANT,
LAUNDRY,
are liable for a license fee of \$5.00 for
the year 1926, which should be paid
by 21st inst, otherwise prosecution
may follow.
All dog taxes should also be paid by
said date.

T. M. WEARS,
Secretary-Treasurer
Strathmore, March 18, 1926. 31-2-6

GRAIN PRICES

The following grain prices are for
cash by wagon-load at Strathmore,
not truck prices, and for information
of the public only. Figures are those
supplied by Mr. T. H. Eves, of the
First Road Elevator.

WHEAT	
Track,	1.58
No. 1,	1.28
2,	1.26
3,	1.17
OATS	
2 C.W.,	.32
3 C.W.,	.30
FLAX	
No. 1,	1.69
2,	1.65
BARLEY	
2 C.W.,	.42
3 C.W.,	.37
RYE	
2 C.W.,	.66
3 C.W.,	.61

COMING EVENTS

Ben Plummer will speak on the
Wheat Pool at a meeting in the Mem-
orial Hall Dining Room, Strathmore,
on Saturday, April 2, at 2 p.m., and at
Carleton Place on Saturday evening.
"Sea Horses," a spectacular melodrama
at Memorial Hall on Saturday night.

The Ladies of St. Michaels and All
Angels Church will hold a dance in
the Memorial Hall on Easter Monday
night. The Moonbeam orchestra will
furnish the music.

The Techopators orchestra will play
for dances at Strathmore on April 14
and Rockyford April 15.

Dance at Namaka L.O.O.F. Hall
Wednesday, April 7, Moonbeam or-
chestra.

The Girl Guides are holding a Dai-
dull Tea on Saturday, April 2nd, in
Hollinger's Hardware Store. Every-
body come.

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FOR SALE, BANNER SEED OATS,
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Cottage, with summer kitchen, 3
lots, well treed, garage, etc. Terms
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TO RENT OR FOR SALE, 8 ROOMED
house in Huffman addition, about 2
acres land. Rent \$15 per month. H.
Platt, Box 47, Strathmore. 4-7-4
FOR RENT, DWELLING ON FIFTH
Street, occupied by Wm. Wilkins-
son. Rent \$20.00. Apply T. M.
Wears, Barrister, &c. 21-3-4

Lost & Found

STRAYED FROM F. W. SCHULTZ
Farm at Rosedale, 6 horses, 2 gray,
2 dark brown, 1 black with white
face, hair brand H M on left side.
Reward tendered to recovery. 21-3-4
LOST, BETWEEN S. F. GARRIOTT'S
(of Crowfoot) and Rockyford, a
square tire and rim. Finder please
acquaint C. E. Rogers, Rockyford. 7-4-4

TOWN OF STRATHMORE

TAX RECOVERY ACT

Notice is hereby given that if all ar-
rears of taxes imposed in 1925 in re-
spect of any parcel of land situated
within this Town are not paid on or
before the first day of July next, such
land will be dealt with under the pro-
visions of The Tax Recovery Act,
1922, with a view to obtaining certifi-
cate of title in the name of the Town in
respect of such parcel.

T. M. WEARS
Secretary-Treasurer
Strathmore, Alta., March 30, 1926. 7-4-4

DANCE

— in the —
**I.O.O.F. HALL,
NAMAKA**
Wed., April 7th
Moonbeam Orchestra

— Admission —
Gents \$1.00,
Ladies 50c

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